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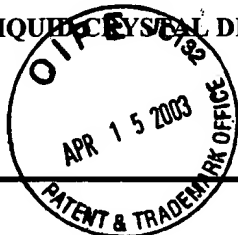
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☒ the statement specified in 37 CFR 1.97(e);

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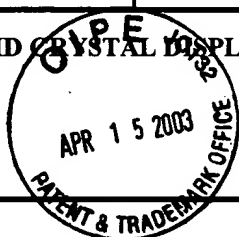
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STATEMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c)(1) and (e)(1)

Sir:

I hereby state that each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the accompanying Information Disclosure Statement be considered with respect to the above-identified application.

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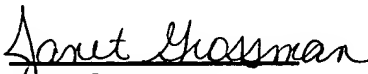
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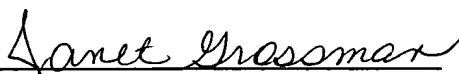
In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.97 and 1.98, it is requested that the following references, which are also listed on the attached Form PTO-1449, be made of record in the above-identified case.

1. Japanese Laid-Open Utility Model Application No. S63-113196, dated July 21, 1988;
2. Japanese Laid-Open Patent Application No. H04-280290, dated October 6, 1992;
3. Japanese Laid-Open Patent Application No. H11-265172, dated September 28, 1999;
4. Japanese Laid-Open Patent Application No. H05-027702, dated February 5, 1993;

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5. Japanese Laid-Open Utility Model Application No. S60-025290, dated February 20, 1985 .
6. Japanese Laid-Open Patent Application No. S64-035493, dated February 6, 1989; and
7. Japanese Laid-Open Patent Application No. H08-171370, dated July 2, 1996.

The references were cited in a Japanese Office Action dated January 28, 2003 received from the Japanese Patent Office. Applicants are submitting copies of the above-cited references, together with a translation of the Examiner's comments regarding the references from the Official Action. The relevance of the references is described in the Official Action.

In compliance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(3), as a concise statement of relevance, as it is presently understood by the individual designated in 37 C.F.R. §1.56(c) most knowledgeable about the content of the information, the undersigned attorney of record submits a translation of portions of an official action by a foreign examiner in which the references were cited. The relevance to the pending U.S. patent application is that the references were cited in a foreign patent application on the same subject matter. However, no independent analysis of the references, the accuracy of the statement of the foreign examiner or the claims of the foreign application under the laws of that country or the United States relative to the subject matter claimed in the present application has been made; the present understanding of the contents thereof by the undersigned being based on the translation of the foreign examiner's comments submitted herewith.

Consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement is respectfully requested, since the art provided may be material to the examination of the present application as defined in C.F.R. §1.56.

Inasmuch as this Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted in
accordance with the schedule set out in 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c) and (e) (1), a statement is enclosed.

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